

PROFILE OF SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS
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	Number 1990	Percent	Number 2000	Percent	Number Change 1990 - 2000	Percent Change 1990 - 2000
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT						
POPULATION 3 YEARS AND OVER						
ENROLLED IN SCHOOL ¹	2,676	100.0	2,814	100.0	138	5.2
Nursery school, preschool	x	x	191	6.8	x	x
Kindergarten	x	x	110	3.9	x	x
Elementary school	(included in high school total)		1,352	48.0	x	x
High school (grades 9-12) (1990: grades 1-12)	1,708	63.8	707	25.1	x	x
College or graduate school	772	28.8	454	16.1	-318	-41.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT						
POPULATION 25 YEARS AND OVER						
Less than 9th grade	5,854	100.0	6,607	100.0	753	12.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	297	5.1	238	3.6	-59	-19.9
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	708	12.1	628	9.5	-80	-11.3
Some college, no degree	1,915	32.7	1,963	29.7	48	2.5
Associate degree	1,044	17.8	1,426	21.6	382	36.6
Bachelor's degree	519	8.9	556	8.4	37	7.1
Graduate or professional degree	865	14.8	1,112	16.8	247	28.6
	506	8.6	684	10.4	178	35.2
Percent high school graduate or higher	82.8	x	86.9	x	4.1	x
Percent Bachelor's degree or higher	23.4	x	27.2	x	3.8	x
MARITAL STATUS						
POPULATION 15 YEARS AND OVER						
Never married	7,108	100.0	7,767	100.0	659	9.3
Now married (not separated)	1,539	21.7	1,739	22.4	200	13.0
Separated	4,518	63.6	4,998	64.3	480	10.6
Widowed	156	2.2	89	1.1	-67	-42.9
Female	392	5.5	319	4.1	-73	-18.6
Divorced	313	4.4	247	3.2	-66	-21.1
Female	503	7.1	622	8.0	119	23.7
	214	3.0	326	4.2	112	52.3
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS						
GRANDPARENT LIVING IN HOUSEHOLD WITH ONE OR MORE OWN GRANDCHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS ²						
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	x	x	115	100.0	x	x
	x	x	20	17.4	x	x
VETERAN STATUS						
CIVILIAN POPULATION 18 YEARS AND OVER						
Civilian veterans	x	x	7,263	100.0	x	x
	x	x	1,074	14.8	x	x
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION						
POPULATION 5 TO 20 YEARS						
With a disability	x	x	2,444	100.0	x	x
	x	x	347	14.2	x	x
POPULATION 21 TO 64 YEARS						
With a disability	x	x	6,007	100.0	x	x
Percent employed	x	x	1,178	19.6	x	x
	x	x	70.1	x	x	x
No disability	x	x	4,829	80.4	x	x
Percent employed	x	x	87.0	x	x	x
POPULATION 65 AND OVER						
With a disability	797	100.0	914	100.0	117	14.7
	339	4.8	320	35.0	-19	-5.6
RESIDENCE IN 1995 (1990 CENSUS: 1985)						
POPULATION 5 YEARS AND OVER						
Same house	8,577	100.0	9,374	100.0	797	9.3
Different house in the U.S.	5,834	68.0	6,615	70.6	781	13.4
Same county	2,731	31.8	2,743	29.3	12	0.4
Different county	2,059	24.0	2,098	22.4	39	1.9
Same state	672	7.8	645	6.9	-27	-4.0
Different state	209	2.4	289	3.1	80	38.3
Elsewhere (1990: lived abroad)	463	5.4	356	3.8	-107	-23.1
	12	0.1	16	0.2	4	33.3

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NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH						
TOTAL POPULATION	9,227	100.0	9,948	100.0	721	7.8
Native	9,035	97.9	9,786	98.4	751	8.3
Born in the United States	8,988	97.4	9,734	97.8	746	8.3
State of residence	7,512	81.4	7,927	79.7	415	5.5
Different state	1,476	16.0	1,807	18.2	331	22.4
Born outside the United States	47	0.5	52	0.5	5	10.6
Foreign born	192	2.1	162	1.6	-30	-15.6
Entered 1990 to March 2000 *	12	0.1	8	0.1	-4	-33.3
Naturalized citizen	162	1.8	108	1.1	-54	-33.3
Not a citizen	30	0.3	54	0.5	24	80.0
REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN						
TOTAL FOREIGN BORN POPULATION (except born at sea)	192	100.0	162	100.0	-30	-15.6
Europe	x	x	107	66.0	x	x
Asia	x	x	7	4.3	x	x
Africa	x	x	0	0.0	x	x
Oceania	x	x	6	3.7	x	x
Latin America	x	x	8	4.9	x	x
Northern America	x	x	34	21.0	x	x
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME						
POPULATION 5 YEARS AND OVER	8,577	100.0	9,374	100.0	797	9.3
English only	8,080	94.2	8,999	96.0	919	11.4
Language other than English	442	5.2	375	4.0	-67	-15.2
Speak English other than "very well"	63	0.7	72	0.8	9	14.3
Spanish	20	0.2	89	0.9	69	345.0
Speak English other than "very well"	0	0.0	22	0.2	22	x
Other Indo-European languages	x	x	286	3.1	x	x
Speak English other than "very well"	x	x	50	0.5	x	x
Asian and Pacific Island languages	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Speak English other than "very well"	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
ANCESTRY (single or multiple)						
TOTAL POPULATION	9,227	100.0	9,948	100.0	721	7.8
Total ancestries reported	13,106	142.0	12,961	130.3	-145	-1.1
Arab	28	0.3	35	0.4	7	25.0
Czech ³	10	0.1	21	0.2	11	110.0
Danish	36	0.4	14	0.1	-22	-61.1
Dutch	106	1.1	76	0.8	-30	-28.3
English	2,560	27.7	2,342	23.5	-218	-8.5
French (except Basque) ³	2,230	24.2	1,912	19.2	-318	-14.3
French Canadian ³	950	10.3	1,065	10.7	115	12.1
German	612	6.6	600	6.0	-12	-2.0
Greek	15	0.2	35	0.4	20	133.3
Hungarian	11	0.1	9	0.1	-2	-18.2
Irish ³	2,148	23.3	2,308	23.2	160	7.4
Italian	1,643	17.8	1,725	17.3	82	5.0
Lithuanian	18	0.2	9	0.1	-9	-50.0
Norwegian	76	0.8	37	0.4	-39	-51.3
Polish	529	5.7	603	6.1	74	14.0
Portuguese	391	4.2	412	4.1	21	5.4
Russian	46	0.5	104	1.0	58	126.1
Scotch-Irish	254	2.8	86	0.9	-168	-66.1
Scottish	461	5.0	254	2.6	-207	-44.9
Slovak	6	0.1	0	0.0	-6	-100.0
Subsaharan African	11	0.1	31	0.3	20	181.8
Swedish	177	1.9	284	2.9	107	60.5
Swiss	6	0.1	0	0.0	-6	-100.0
Ukrainian	43	0.5	18	0.2	-25	-58.1
United States or American	150	1.6	253	2.5	103	68.7
Welsh	43	0.5	26	0.3	-17	-39.5
West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other ancestries	546	5.9	702	7.1	156	28.6

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FOOTNOTES

x Data not available or not applicable.

* 1990 census: entered 1980 to 1990.

¹ In 1990, persons who were enrolled and reported completing nursery school or less were classified as enrolled in "preprimary school", which includes kindergarten. Elementary school and High school combined into one data field in 1990.

² Question relating to "grandparents as caregivers" not asked in 1990 census.

³ The data represent a combination of two ancestries shown separately in Summary File 3. Czech includes Czechoslovakian. French includes Alsatian. French Canadian includes Acadian/Cajun. Irish includes Celtic.